Everybody That Is Anybody Reads The Times. Do You?

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TOGO MAY SINK COLLIERS WITH BALTIC FLEET

Status of Neutral Ships John Longstreet Charged Expressions of Views on With Rogestvensky Moot Question.

BELLIGERENTS'

Japs Would Face Delicate Situation if Boats Are Destroyed.

colliers accompanying Admiral Rogest-

action be lodged, as in the case of the knight Commander? the attack. It was said today that her nose was broken.

believed he would be unwilling to re-duce the complement of his own fleet heard on all sides. by transferring a prize crew to the col-liers. The only alternative to such acwould be the sending of the colliers to the bottom.

International lawyers believe Togo would be justified in taking this latter step. At the same time they admit there is a possibility of it raising a delicate question. Particularly would this be so if the Japanese were unable to advance full proof, which in some cases would perhaps be unobtainable, that any of the colliers sunk had been supplying Rogestvensky with coal.

READY TO ATTACK UNDERMINED FORTS

Russian garrison of the Ehrlung fort at Port Arthur, which was stormed and

General Nogi's men. They say that most of the garrison of 500 were killed.

Within Defense Wall.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 31.-Many people profess to disbelieve the news of the fall of Ehrlungshan, which in mili-

The Javanese have thereby got within (Continued on Second Page.)

THE WEATHER REPORT.

The barometer is high over the south-eastern States, and low along the north-

n boundary. The southern edge of what is probably a great depression, covering nearly the whole of British America, stretches from the St. Lawrence Valley westward to Montana. The center of this great depression is probably west of Hudson's Bay. A depression of small extent and energy is central in the middle plateau region.

region.

No rain of consequence has fallen, except on the Pacific Coast, from Los Angeles northward, and over the middle

and northern plateau regions.

The temperature has risen in the interior valleys and the Northwest. It now ranges from 10 degrees to 25 degrees above the seasonal average in the Missouri Valley, and middle and upper portions of the Mississippi Valley, and the

tions of the Mississippi Valley, and the upper lake region.

Generally fair weather is indicated for the Washington forecast district tonight and Sunday, except in the lower lake region, and lower Mississippi Valley, where rain is probable Sunday.

The temperature will rise in Atlantic coast districts, and the warm weather will continue Sunday and probably Monday in all portions of the district.

TEMPERATURE

DOWNTOWN TEMPERATURE (Registered Affleck's Standard Thermometer.

TIDE TABLE.

ESTHER PEVERILL THINKS PRISONER IS HER ASSAILANT

With Vicious Attack on Girls.

RIGHTS OTHER MEN SUSPECTED JUDGE SCOTT'S OPINION

Closely Description Given by the Victim.

LCNDON, Dec. 31.—Diplomats are to-day discussing the question of what the status will be of the German and British who assaulted Miss Esther Peverill and vensky, when Admiral Togo engages the Russian Baltic fleet in battle.

Wito assaulted Miss Esther Peverill and Miss Beulah Ebaugh Thursday night. The man stoutly asserts his innecesses The man stoutly asserts his innocence, Miss Ebaugh escaped with little worse The questions are asked: Wiff the powers recognize the right of the Japanese to sink the colliers, despite the fact they will be flying British and German colors; or would a protest against such

It is known the first part of Admiral A big crowd of men and boys appeared Togo's plan consists of isolating the colliers from the Baltic vessels. It is

The capture was finally made by a party in charge of Sheriff Palmer, who went over to the Jackson-Phillips Brick Company, which is situated at a little place known as "Waterloo," about a place known as "Waterloo," about a quarter of a mile from where the as sault was made

Found Longstreet Asleep.

Lying out in one of the buildings they found Longstreet asleep. Longstreet is a man who has anything but a good reputation in the neighborhood. He is not regularly employed at the brick yard, the floggings would perforce have to be but spends most of his time there and at other brick yards picking up odd jobs. When questioned about his past record

Cheroo to the "Daily Telegraph" says:

"A messenger from Port Arthur, which was stored and says asked to dentify him of possible.

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captured by the Japanese at 7:30 a terrible blow in the face, Miss Peveo'clock on Wednesday evening, held out rill says she scratched him about the against the Japanese attacks till 3 face and neck with her hands. Longstreet has one or two scratches on his Only three prisoners were taken by face and several on his neck. He says he did this himself.

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The accused man attempted to prove an alibi. He asserted that between 9 and 10 o'clock he was carrying coal to the house of Foreman Henry, of the Jackson-Philipps Brick Company. He claimed that he carried several bags of coal and did not leave Henry's house until 10 o'clock. This, according to his contention, proved his innocence, as the assault was made about 9:30.

Longstreet Contradicted.

However, Mr. Henry said today that and left about ten minutes after 9 o'clock, and started back in the direction of the car track where the assault great, and he could have reached the car track five or ten minutes before the

rime was committed.
The man denied having ever seen the The man denied naving ever seen the gunny sack picked up by Mr. Ebaugh and known to have been dropped by the brute when he jumped upon the girls. He had a sack with him when arrested. This morning Mr. Ebaugh mixed up rear the assault and the one found with Longstreet, and he was asked to pick out his. He easily selected the one which he claimed was his property.

Taken to Fort Myer.

Sheriff Palmer carried the prisoner to For Myer courthouse, where he will be held pending a further investigation of the case. Those who conducted the right man, and are still following other clues which they think will prove more successful.

A negro man, answering the descrip tion perfectly, is under suspicion. He works in the vicinity of Arlington Juneorks in the vicinity of Arington June-ion, and is known to have been out from 8 o'clock Thursday night until 4 y'clock Friday morning. He seemed to be very nervous yesterday, and was cratched about the face in two or three places. He claimed that his cat scratch-

ed him.

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This man will probably be arrested tonight. The two suspected men will then be carried before Miss Peverill and Miss Ebaugh for identification. Miss Péverill was sent to her home yesterday. It is thought she will be able to be out in a day or so. As soon as she becomes stronger the two men will be brought before her and her companion, and between them it is believed they can positively identify the right man.

Last night one of the celebrated bloodhounds of American Branch, of Suffolk, arrived at Arlington Junction in charge of S. L. Branch, a son of "Hurrican" Branch, and the dog was immediately taken to the scene of the crime. Twice he struck a trail, and both times the hound went straight to the house of Horace Reeves, who lives near Brick Hayen. There was no one in this house, however, against whom the slightest suspicion could be attached.

CITIZENS OPPOSE A WHIPPING POST IN WASHINGTON

Report of Grand Jury.

Captive, However, Answers He Differs From His Associate on the Bench, Judge Kimball.

> in the President's message and recom-mendations on the subject in the grand jury report, is by no means unanimous, and opponents of the suggestion combat it with as great vigor as its friends

> ise in its advocacy. Judge Scott, junior judge of the Po lice Court, who alternates with Judge Kimball in trying cases in the United States branch of the court, where wife beaters are given hearings, was asked 'What do you think of the whipping

"I'm forninst it," he replied in an instant. "You can adore that way if you wish to. I am not in favor of beating man on his bared back because it is barbarous and more inhuman possibly than the act which he committed. Set the wife beater to work on a rock pile or somewhere else that he will ear money, and give his earnings to his wife and children. Ofttimes when a man is sent to jail for beating his wife he lives better than those who have been deprived of his services. To send

public in order to have any effect or serve as a warning to others. Take man who has a father, mother, wife and Longstreet admitted that he had been arrested and tried in Culpeper for housebreaking, but said the charges public flogging, for everyone would inchildren. For no fault of their own SHANGHAI, Dec. 31.—According to advices received here the Japanese mining operations at Sungshushan, Port Arthur, are nearly completed.

A tunnel from Etzeshan is almost finished, which will enable them to blow up the parapet of the fort, which is already isolated.

The final assault on and capture of the position is expected in a few days.

New Town Abandoned.

LONDON, Dec. 31.—A dispatch from Chefoo to the "Daily Telegraph" says:

"A messenger from Port Arthur states that the Japanese have mounted eight guns commanding positions north" housebreaking, but said the charges were not proved.

Yesterday after recovering from the nervous shock incident to the fright the young ladies said that they could not tell exactly whether their assailant was a negro or a white man with a soot-begrined face. When Longstreet was fund in the brick yard he was taken for a negro at first, and his captors said that a good washing was necessary before his color could be ascertained with any certainty.

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His description answered exactly to that given by the two giris. Early this morning Miss Ebaugh was informed that a man had been arrested and the would eight guns commanding positions north

offense. Then again the judge shifts every six months, and hear assault cases only six months throughout the year. Mr. Given has the same duty to perform day in and day out.

"From your observation in the Police Court what do you think of the whipping post as a remedy for wife beating." he was asked.

"No." he said, shaking his head. Washington nor no other city wants a whipping post. It's the creation of barbarans, and we in these latter days do not need it. I've read a great deal about the whipping post, and have thought considerable about it, and have reached the conclusion that it is not what is wanted now. If the whipping host was all right, and proved a success, why did they not continue to use it? Why was any change made unless those persons in latter days were wiser or more humane than the men who established the whipping post? It's not only heartiess and cruel punishment to the man who is stripped to the correct its punishment to the man who is stripped to the very without a subsequent effect to the consclusion. In New York yesterday he easily correct. Its punication, however, the church paper of which he is the edutor. He declined to be interviewed on the controversy with the church paper of which he is the editor. He declined to be interviewed on the church paper of which he is the editor. He declined to be interviewed on the church paper of which he is the editor. He declined to be interviewed on the church paper of which a bit the church paper of which a bit the church paper of which he is the editor. He declined to be interviewed on the church paper of which he is the editor. He declined to be interviewed on the paper of which a bit the church paper of which a bit the church paper of which a bit the church paper of which he is the editor. He declined to be interviewed on the church paper of which a bit the church paper of which a bit the church paper of which a bit the church paper of which a list of the church paper of which he is the editor. He declined to be interviewed on the church papers of less those persons in latter days were wiser or more humane than the men who established the whipping post? It is not only heartiess and cruei punishment to the man who is stripped to the waist and goes under the lash, but it is humiliation and degradation to his relatives, who should not be made to suffer because of the conduct of a drunken sot, who staggers into his domicile during the nocturnal hours, and in a drunken frenzy and rage belabors his wife or mother over the head with a chair or the first thing his hands can get.

In the presenters or to any other person is talke.

"My letter to Dr. Irvine on July 7 is verbally correct, its publication, however, without a subsequent letter to the same person is a falsification of facts. Documentary proofs will be forthcoming when I think proper, not before."

Dr. Fulton had written to Dr. Irvine that the Tafbot letter was not what Dr. Irvine thought it was, and if it had been ft would have been a tissue of impudent lies.

Imbecility Shown.

Tail Not Sufficient

"I do not think a jail sentence is suffijail, which is just the same to him as organization. are more than likely at home suffering eanons yesterday indicates that the for want of the bare necessities of life. | making of the charges and the preparaon the road with a pick and shovel. If old. ne is a man who has been accustomed to anything other than handling such crude the Huntingdon church, with which Dr. instruments, one dose will cure him. For Irvine was identified, have repudiated his laber let him receive a few paltry their signatures to the charges.

Kimball a Stanch Advocate.

Judge Kimball is impressed with the necessity of inflicting some punishment upon the prisoner other than incarcer ating him in jail, where he does not have to work, but gets three meals ;

Judge Kimball has been a stanch ad-

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BISHOP ETHELBERT TALBOT



Copyright by Rockwood, N. Y., 190 MUST FACE SERIOUS CHARGES.

Based on Alleged Misstatements in Famous "Upjohn Letter."

TALBOT INQUIRY

Copy on Which Charges Were Founded Cost of Transportation Is Almost Pro-Obtained From Duplicate in Dr. Fulton's Possession.

he has probably heard more cases of wife and mother-beating than either of the judges, because oftentimes the cases which he heard are safficiently serious to go to trial, but the relenting wife or mother refuses to go into court to testify, either because of the publicity or notoriety or because the erring spouse or offspring promises not to repeat the . Dr. Fulton's Role.

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"Give the wife beater a back-breaking tion for hearing them are at variance At least four of the five accusers from

pennies, wille the greater portion, which should be sufficiently large to keep his wife and children for one day, is turned must be signed by five male communicants belonging to the diocese, of whom over to those he has wronged by his reprehensible conduct. I have no sympathy with the wife beater, but I do not approve of a whipping post nor do I think it will ever be restored in this or any other civilized country."

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\$1.25-To Baltimore and Return-\$1.25. Pennsylvania; Railread. Saturday and Sunday; tickets good on all trains ex-cept Congressional Limited and good for return until Sunday night.—Adv.

PORTO RICANS MAY WORK ON ISTHMUS

"Upjohn Letter" Obtained Secretary Taft Will Put by Illegitimate Means.

Matter to Test.

BISHOP HAS THE ORIGINAL WILL EMPLOY 500 OF THEM

hibitive to Success of the

Question of Expense.

"One of the principal troubles is the

Industrial conditions in Porto Rico, which are described as very bad, are responsible for the desire of Mr. Gompers to do something to relieve the situation. In New York yesterday he made the following statement of the conditions as they exist:

"At the Boston convention of the American Federation of Labor a resolution was massed indorsing the action American Federation of Labor a resolution was passed indorsing the action of the Government in building the Panama Canal. Secretary of War Taft was in Panama, and before he returned to Washington landed in Jamaica. He then expressed the opinion that men could be found in Jamaica, a tropical island, to do the work.

Imbecility Shown.

Dr. Fulton has in his publication taken the ground that the organization of the court of inquiry under the old canon represents canonical imbecility and that no charges can be heard without a regranization.

Examination of the old and new canons yesterday indicates that the

terrupted to say:

"I have not placed Dr. Chadwick under arrest and will not on his way to Cleveland."

The explanation of Sheriff Barry's to Sheriff Barry's the Mr. Winthrop for two hours and twas very favorably impressed with y suggestions. He will give the mather his earnest attention and keep in the high the Mr. Taft and anyself."

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"He suggested that I should state the case to Governor Winthrop, and as I knew that he was to sail today I hastened to New York to see him. I was with Mr. Winthrop for two hours and rather curi ter fils called touch with Mr. Taft and myself."

Secretary Taft was a caller at the White House this morning and had a conference on the subject with the President.

dition papers issued to use.

According to the laws of New York extradition papers issued by the State are turned over to the county authorities for service.

REPORTS MUCH EXAGGERATED

"New buildings are being erected rapidly on the isthmus.
"When completed there will be no

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CHADWICK HERE: **UNDER ARREST**

Asserts He Is Innocent of Uttering Forged Note and Declares His Belief That His Wife Did Nothing Wrong.

TREMBLES WITH NERVOUSNESS WHEN TOLD OF HIS INDICTMENT

Goes to a Hotel in Hoboken to Await Sheriff's Return-Start for Cleveland This Afternoon.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31 .- Dr. Leroy S. Chadwick, who arrived this morning from Hamburg and Dover, on the Hamburg-American liner, Pretoria, was practically, but not technically, placed under arrest by Sheriff Barry, of Cuyahoga county, Ohio, who boarded the vessel with the customs of-

With Dr. Chadwick was his daughter, Mary J. Chadwick. The sheriff took Dr. Chadwick and his daughter directly to Meyers Hotel, Hoboken, N. J., where he consented to remain until Sheriff Barry gathered his own effects in New York. The sheriff will then take Dr. Chadwick back to Cleveland, leaving at 4:55 o'clock this afternoon over the

Pennsylvania Railroad. Miss Chadwick will be taken care of by relatives in New York for a few days. She will probably go to Jacksonville, Fla., where Dr. Chadwick

TREMBLES WITH EXCITEMENT.

sion by the sheriff, became greatly excited and so nervous that his hands beat an audible tattoo automatically on N. J., where the extradition papers the table at which he was sitting in his stateroom, Nc. 151, on the Preoria.

were of no use Detective Sergeant Bonnell was seen waiting on the dock.

Sheriff Barry explained to Dr. Chadwick he had been indicted in Cleveland,

bearing the signature of "Andrew Car-negie." This was the first Dr. Chadwick knew of his having become liable under

the latter's stateroom. He explained to the doctor that everything would be done compatible with the law to make On reaching the corridor leading to Proceedings to Chadwick was

He said with tremulous lips: "All I know of the charge against me and Mrs. Chadwick is what I have seen in the newspapers. I knew nothing of the utterance of this forgery. I know nothing now about it. Up to the present moment I had believed my wife to be

innocent of wrongdoing." At Quarantine a number of newspaper men had boarded the Pretoria. Chadwick was found seated in his stateroom in the extreme after part of the quarters. vessel in the second cabin When seen he was quick to spring to his feet and refuse any information.

Refused to Talk.

'We represent the newspapers," the porters said. "I have nothing to say," said the docor, closing the door. "Did you know you were under indict-

nent in Ohio?" 'I know nothing about it at all." He was very nervous and excited. He

He was very nervous and excited. He shut himself up in his stateroom and refused to answer all questions.

An Old Traveler.

Dr. Chadwick is an old traveler on the Hamburg-American line and was known to the stewards and passengers, and while he did not seclude himself he did not talk of his affairs on the voyage. He seemed to be nervous and excitable. He seemed to be nervous and excitable He embarked at Dover and was accom-

panied by his daughter.

Was Homeward Bound. Then with a gasp he said:

Now I hardly know what to believe.

Officer Was Missing.

headquarters to have Detective Sergeant gate.

Maurice Bonnell who had the average The coins are a fair imitation, but Maurice Ronnell, who had the extradilack the ring and are greasy. tion papers in his custody, at the revetion papers in his custody, at the test nue cutter dock at the Battery at 7:39 For Pneumonia, Grip, Pulmonary and Bronchial trouble, take Piso's Cure.—Adv.

Dr. Chadwick, when told of his mis- | He was not there. Repeated calls on stateroom, Nc. 151, on the Preoria.

Miss Chadwick occupied No. 155, across the corridor in the second cabin division

nell was seen waiting on the Gock. Sheriff Barry thinks it was a rather poor exhibition on the part of the New York

detective bureau.

In other words Sheriff Barry had practically no authority to place Dr. Chadwick under arrest, and for that he did not technically do so. Dr. Chadwick, however, consented willingly to Sheriff Barry's arrangement for his immediate return to Cleveland. The doctor, while standing in the second cabin saloon making his brief stateme The sheriff was closeted for some suddenly attacked by an additional fit of twenty minutes with Dr. Chadwick in nervousness, and abruptly terminated

done compatible with the law to make On reaching the corridor leading to his trip to Cleveland as little unpleasant the stateroom. Dr. Chadwick was

All this time Mary Chadwick had been in her own room, No. 155. while the sheriff and Dr. Chadwick were again in the latter's room, Mary Chadwick remained in hers.

A dramatic little incident then occurred. W. G. Fay, who is supposed to be a money lender and attorney at Ely-ria, Ohio. was standing in the corridor, having boarded the vessel soon after the sheriff. He claimed to be a friend of the Chadwicks, and attempted to see Miss Chadwick. The sheriff quickly interfered, and had the girl step into the room with him and her father.

matter, at all."

No Interference. He then came out and pointing a finger at Mr. Fay said, threateningly: "I don't want you to interfere in this

"I am not interfering," replied Mr. Fay. "I want to do nothing but what will help Dr. Chadwick."
"Well. Even in that case, I wish no interference from you," declared the sheriff

Had Loaned Money.

Mr. Fay did not have any talk with Dr. Chadwick. The sheriff believed that Mr. Fay is here for personal reasons of his own. In fact, that he wishes to get some money from Dr. Chadwick.

Mr. Fay later admitted that he was

There in distress and out of work. Forto Rico is a tropical island, too, and the men in Porto Rico, which is now under our flag, should be employed on the Panama Canal, and can stand its climate. It would be a blessing to an army of workingmen in Porto Rico.

Writes to Taft.

"When Mr. Taft got back to Washington, I sent him a letter describing the conditions in Porto Rico and my views as to the employment of Porto rices."

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BAD HALF-DOLLARS

CIRCULATE IN DUNKIRK

BUFFALO, Dec. 31.-Counterfeit half-Officer Was Missing.

This morning on being notified of the arrival of the Pretoria Sheriff Barry called up the detective byreau at police ment has sent a special agent to investi-